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PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

EDWARD SHANBROM

Serial No.: 09/001,341

Filed: 31-DEC-97

For: DISINFECTING GAS FILTERS

Examiner: M. Pham

Group Art Unit: 1651

14-October-1999

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box CPA
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to Examination of the enclosed Continuing Prosecution Application on its merits kindly enter the following amendments:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly ~~cancel~~ Claims 1 and 9 and replace them with the newly drafted Claims ²¹ and ²² presented below:

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